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Dear Mr. Harden:

Thank you for the copy of the Utah program, its rules and Code. It will be most helpful to our State program specialists. I have not yet found a computer with the room to explode the files. We should be connected to the LAN someday soon, then these problems will be solved.

I have enclosed the disks for the complete Federal Regulation Notebook, as you requested. In addition, the files of those disks also include the update to the Notebook, which makes it current through December 1991. I am presently awaiting the hard copy of the Notebook from the printer.

The only version I have of P.L. 95-87 is the one reflected in the 1988 publication of the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. This disk is also enclosed for your use. I am presently working with our solicitors on the long overdue update.

Please let me know if I may be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Leslie M. Stream Regulation Analyst

Sister M. Stream

Enclosures

## STATUS REPORT - PAM GRUBAUGH-LITTIG (Revised 3-9-92)

Blue Blaze permit: PGL working on EA.Dogm holding for groundwater site characterization by operator. Can't do CHIA..Earth Fax to update pgl 3-11.

Bear Canyon federal leases: hydrologic/GW characterization by operator, drilling progressing slowly, 3rd hole spudded, will complete 3-23: DOGM to spot check progress by Earthfax & Coop. Dogm will advise coop of need to update PHC upon completiuon of dlg program. Coop is not sending reports on water to water users, as per drn's order

Rilda Canyon: partial operator submission, must include updated PHC and ground water data.(issue - 5-92??):DOGM requesting additional PHC information, wk of 2-10. Early Mar: submission non-current with wespect to new regs, legal financ....

Sunnyside 5 year Review: (have done field inspection). Comments to opr by 2-92...additional information is required... will allow 45 days to submit (mid March) (ext to 3-31)

Deer Creek 5-year Review: update of L&F section by 1-92," Rosetta Stone" X ref by 3-15

C.V. Spur Midterm letter dent by DOGM 2-4, response due by 3-13

Wilberg Mid term...legal/finc in 2-4-92 response due 3-6 (3-20)

Des Bee Dove renewal: possible non-compliance w/ pmt. conds.

J. B. King: plans by 3-16 fov's upheld by drn

Gordon Creek 2,7 & 8, operator's response to highwall Division Order: final reclm designs will be submitted by 4-30.

Ground water database: mtg on "Oricle" w/ OSM, 2-21 Ken to OSM 3-23.

Trail Mtn: advisory leter to PacCorp re possible transfer of pmt. (no response)

"A" team annual work schedule has been prepared

Status reports for "A" team staff under consideration

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